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## BANDITS STAGE BOLDEST HOLD-UP IN HISTORY OF U. S. COOLIDGE AND DAWES REPUBLICAN NOMINEES 48 CLAIMED IN PEACE TIMES GREATEST NAVAL HORROR

### SCORE OR MORE OF BANDITS USE GAS BOMBS WHEN TRAIN HALTED & LOOTED OF MILLION

CHICAGO, June 13.—Forty-two sacks of registered mail, containing cash and bonds estimated at between \$1,000,000 and \$2,500,000 were seized last midnight by a band of 20 or 25 men who held up the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul mail train near Rondout, Ill., 30 miles north of Chicago.

Gas bombs were used by the bandits on two cars, which mail clerks refused to open. The bandits worked for more than an hour, sorting out the mail sacks. One of them was shot accidentally by a comrade, police stated. After the robbery the bandits sped away in automobiles in the direction of Chicago.

Hundreds of police and citizens, armed with shot guns and other weapons, searched the territory between Chicago and Milwaukee.

Shortly before midnight, as the mail train approached Rondout, some one pulled the signal cord. When Engineer Waite stopped to find out why the signal had been pulled, a band of men rushed from the darkness, some firing revolvers. Bullets crashed through the windows of several cars and whistled about the ears of the engine crew.

The train was made up of 11 cars, the third from the engine carrying most of loot. When the car crew, consisting of Jacob Weiss, T. A.

### FRENCH SENATOR MADE PRESIDENT FRENCH NATION

VERSAILLES, France, June 13.—Gaston Doumergue, president of the senate, was elected president of France by the national congress. The new president has the support of Poincaré coalition as being the least radical of the candidates, put forward by the left.

### CONSOLIDATION OF RAILROADS SURE

WASHINGTON, June 13.—The acquisition by the New Orleans, Texas and Mexico railway of the control of the International and Great Northern by the purchase of the capital stock, was conditionally approved and authorized by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The consolidation is opposed by Texas. The commission gave its approval on condition that if later it were determined that the merger is not in the public interest, the N. O. T. & M. should on 90 days notice dispose of the L. & G. N. stock. Consolidated it would strengthen the general transportation system in the territory served, the commission holds.

### PESTS RAVAGE 15 ACRES ONE DAY NORTH COOLIDGE

A. D. Harrison prominent Limestone County farmer, formerly of the Shiloh community, but now living North of Coolidge, was in town today, and reports that the careless worms, and grasshoppers are playing sad havoc with the cotton crops in his section. He states that they have destroyed 15 acres for him since last Monday morning.

### WAYLAND COLLEGE SCENE OF BLAZE

PLAINVIEW, Texas, June 3.—A near panic ensued in the girls' dormitory of Wayland College when fire broke out. However, the blaze was extinguished with little damage and the classes were resumed immediately.

### ENTHUSIASM IS SCATTERED AS DAWES GOES INT OLEAD

By FRASER EDWARDS

CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 13.—"We want to put some pep and pep and maria into this campaign" yelled A. W. Jefferis, of Omaha, as he placed General Chas. G. Dawes in nomination for vice president yesterday afternoon and today delegates were still wandering about Cleveland after several hours of just that.

General Dawes was leaving Marietta, Ohio, for Chicago—the convention's choice for running mate with President Coolidge. A republican convention has never before nominated two vice presidential candidates in a single day but this one did. It is not often that a Republican convention loses such control of itself that the managers are not able to guide it exactly in the path they would have it go. But this one lost all control. It had plenty of speed in its closing hours, but was winding up like a southpaw and throwing vice presidential candidates all over the lake front. Coolidge and Dawes was the ticket. The brigadier general was nominated by a vote that became unanimous on the first ballot during the night session. It was the third vice presidential ballot of the convention. But indicative of the differences of opinion that prevailed among men who were considered vice presidential timber, the convention members and the delegates, a half dozen other tickets were announced by positive by folks who should know before the convention seemed to simply swarm on Dawes, as no to miss the night trains out of town. Wm. M. Butler, President Coolidge's campaign manager, H. Stearns of Boston and a half dozen other convention managers had been correct in all of the positive tips that were put out on who they intended to nominate, here are the tickets that would have been in the field:

Coolidge and Borah.  
Coolidge and Kenyon.  
Coolidge and Burton.  
Coolidge and Hoover.  
Dawes was not mentioned in the plans of the party managers and did not have any marked support in Hotel lobby discussions among delegates. When the convention met last night after hearing the refusal of former Governor Frank O. Lowden, none had the slightest notion concerning the likely nominee. The Coolidge managers were prepared to test the strength of their favorites through ballots until they picked one strong enough to win and the opposing factions were prepared for same tactics. Then Dawes began to show the greatest strength in the field. There was a stampede for him. The delegates voted, yelled a bit and began gathering up their hats and coats before the ballot was complete. The blow of having Lowden toss back the nomination with a firm refusal, after being named earlier in the day, apparently took away any enthusiasm for giving another nominee a big send off and scattered hand clapping was all that greeted the news that Dawes had passed the majority mark.

The bitterness that flared up among republican leaders yesterday over the vice presidential selection bristled militantly as the committeewomen and committeewomen assembled to make William Butler chairman of the campaign. There is some feeling against Butler because of his selections—Borah, Lowden, Kenyon, Hoover—could be chosen, either because they refused the post, or, as in the case of Hoover, could not poll enough votes. So, Charles G. Dawes was put over by the delegates. However, Butler will be chosen, as he is Coolidge's choice for chairman.

NANTICOKE, Pa.—DeQuincy's "Flight of a Tartar Tribe" will be enacted here June 16, without any of the elements of tragedy when over 2,000 mine workers will leave their homes here to take residence at Muscle Shoals, Ala.

David Todd, of the Pennsylvania Railroad, has arranged special trains to take the party to the Southland, where they will locate permanently.

### Leaders Plan For Contest Before the People

By R. J. BENDER  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 13.—Torn by long hours of sleepless study over one of the most amazing political situations that ever has featured a Republican National convention, members of the National convention met today to organize for the forthcoming campaign.

All of the worry and some of the bitterness that repeatedly flared up thru party leaders yesterday in seeking to nominate a strong running mate for President Calvin Coolidge bristled militantly today as the new committee and committee women assembled to make Wm. M. Butler, their chairman for the campaign.

Of course there is nothing to do but elect Butler to lead the National committee. It is the President's wish—and there are none to deny him. But it is perhaps unfortunate that the Coolidge-Dawes ticket goes for the post for the great quadrennial presidential sweepstakes with its jockey sharply at odds with the trainers and many of those conducting the race.

There were many rough spots in the handling of the vice presidential nomination fight in the convention yesterday and perhaps still more in the private room conferences which preceded the balloting. Many of the old time Republican leaders pointed to these as indicative of Butler's lack of experience in National political matters. Then, too, there was much resentment that Butler—an "outsider"—should come into the party councils and attempt to establish a dictatorship over a domain long ruled by school politicians.

Butler wanted Senator Borah for Coolidge's running mate. He thought Borah would accept it was said, in fact, that Borah had never said he would not—to President Coolidge who probably never asked him to.

Political leaders in the great states of Pennsylvania, New York and Ohio said "All right we'll put over Borah."

Then Borah threw the job back into their faces and Butler heard more than one strong administration pillar say, "I, for one, will wash my hands of the whole business."

But men like Senators Reed and Pepper of Pennsylvania, Wadsworth of New York, and Willis of Ohio decided to try, with the aid of some of the old timers to put over for the vice presidency one of their Senatorial or Congressional number. They agreed upon Senator Curtis—and didn't tell Butler about it.

But the shrewd Yankee manager of Mr. Coolidge soon heard what

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### PEA WEEVIL IS NEWEST PERIL TO COTTON CROP

SPARTA, Ga.—The "Pea Weevil" is the latest destroyer of cotton in this section.

Considerable interest was created among farmers recently when C. M. Layson, who lives near here, reported that some kind of an insect had literally killed eight acres of his cotton. Boll weevil experts visited his farm and pronounced the pest a "pea weevil."

The "pea weevil" they said is as destructive to cotton as the boll weevil, but it can more easily be eliminated. They stated that one dusting of calcium arsenate will destroy the pests.

### PROMINENT FIGURES IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



Above: VISCOUNT KATO & LILLIAN WARREN.  
Below: DAPPER DAN COLLINS & M. MARSAL.

### Explosion On Mississippi Is Fatal to Number

SAN PEDRO, Cal., June 13.—The battleship Mississippi is riding calmly at anchor, giving little evidence of the navy's greatest peace time horror, costing 46 lives in the gun turret explosion. The Navy Board of Inquiry started an investigation. There is a strict censorship on the news of the disaster, and the men are not allowed to come ashore. Tales of heroism leaked out from survivors. Many of the injured are suffering horribly and pray for death on the hospital ship.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 13.—A naval board of inquiry will be appointed at once to investigate the fatal explosions of the dreadnaught Mississippi, it was announced today. The death list stood at 48 with more than a score injured.

Two terrific blasts let go on the giant battleship one of the finest of the fleet, late yesterday. The first was during secret war practice off San Pedro and the second in the harbor, after the big vessel had raced into port with her dead and injured, according to preliminary reports. Most of the dead and injured were in a steel turret behind the great rifle and were trapped with no chance of escape.

The second explosion came when a shell still remaining in one of the huge rifles let go after the dreadnaught had dropped anchor in the harbor. The big 14 inch projectile tore out across the bay narrowly missing the steamer Yale, with a large passenger list which was just putting out to sea. Four men were crushed from the recoil of the great gun.

Following the second explosion the Mississippi put out to sea again to avoid the menace of possible additional explosions to shipping and the city.

Those standing nearest the door in the handling room were killed instantly, and others in the rear of the room were among the injured.

Following the explosion rescue work was impossible as flames broke out threatening the ship. Rescuers running with air hose to relief of those imprisoned in the steel cage were forced back by the fire. An air hose only served to fan the flames to greater intensity but four streams of water were thrown on the fire and it was soon extinguished.

The Mississippi was put under full speed and headed for the harbor where there was a relief ship. In the harbor a second blast rocked the vessel.

The unfired shell in gun No. 5 had exploded.

As soon as the dead and injured were landed on the hospital ship Relief, the Mississippi was again put to sea in fear that other explosions might occur. Members of the crew were not allowed to land.

Tales of heroism came up from the explosion. A seaman who sensed the peril, after the explosion, turned on the water and allowed it to flood the turret, thereby preventing explosion of the entire ship's store of ammunition. The man is believed to be one of those found dead in the turret room.

### RICHLAND DRILLING REPORT SHOWS MORE WELLS IN SIGHT

The Richland field is this week the scene of much new activity and the territory is being given a thorough prospecting by producers, most of whom have been operating for the past three years in the Mexia oil field district.

According to the latest reports here, the Atlantic Swink 1 is rigging up. Boyd Webb 1 is making 450 barrels. Boyd Webb 2 is making 450 barrels. Boyd Webb 3 is standardizing at 2500.

Boyd Webb 4 is standardizing at 2500. Boyd Webb 5 is a location.

Boyd Webb 6 is a derrick.

Boyd Webb 7 is rigging up.

Bucklin Davis 1 is drilling in hard chalk at 2574.

Collins Brown 1 struck the bottom of the lime at 2827.

Eslick Moran 1 drilling in lime, has reached 2870.

Godley Allison 3 made a small head, 2975.

Godley Allison 4 drilling in lime at 2950.

Godley Allison 5 drilling in shale at 1750.

Hallmark Brown 1 drilling in lime 2610.

Moore Hillburn 1 small showing at 2699.

Oxford Davis 1 standardizing and standing 300 feet in oil.

Providence Swink 2 making heads, total depth 2984.

Simms Allison 1 shut down for gas. Smith Green 1 shut down, 2976.

Sun Brown 4 drilling plug 2917.

Sun Brown 5 drilling in gumbo 2904.

Sun Brown 6 drilling in rock 180.

Tucker Davis 1 drilling in chalk 2950.

Tucker Davis 2 rigging up.

Vaughan Green shut down 2976.

Wallace Davis 1 drilling in gumbo 2610.

### BOLTON LIKELY TO DECLINE THE T. U. PRESIDENCY

AUSTIN, June 13.—It is reported that Dr. Herbert Bolton, in conference with the University Regents, will decline the offer of the presidency. Although no definite word was given out, it is believed that the Regents will have to seek another for the position.

### FRENCH SEEK TO HALT GERMAN SYRIAN TRADE

JERUSALEM.—With the object of eliminating the ever-growing German competition from the Syrian market, the French authority, in Syria, has just enforced a 30 per cent import duty on all goods from countries that are not members of the League of Nations.

In addition, all imported goods from countries who are members of the League—America is specifically named—will be subject to a duty of 15 per cent instead of 11 per cent as hitherto.

### BOY SCOUTS TO RUN CITY

(By International News Service.)

BETHLEHEM, Pa., June 13.—Boy Scouts will run this city for one day on Friday, June 13.

Despite the reputed "bad luck" scheduled for that day, they will elect a mayor, city council and other city officials and will be in entire charge of the affairs of government for that day.

### THE WEATHER

Texas.—Tonight and Saturday generally fair and continued warm.

### DENVER MAN IS TREASURER FOR REPUBLICANS

CLEVELAND, June 13.—Wm. V. Henges of Denver was elected treasurer of the republican national committee; Wm. H. Butler, chairman; Roy West of Chicago, secretary; Mrs. A. T. Hert of Louisville, women's vice chairman of the committee.

### RANGER CAPTAIN DECLARES RAIDS REAL IN FIELDS

AUSTIN, Texas, June 13.—Ranger Captain Hamer vigorously denies implications that the raid in the Caldwell-Guadalupe county oil fields where several stills were confiscated, was a hoax. He declared that arrests had not been made by the sheriff for liquor violations. Two of the three men arrested at the result of the raid are sheriff's deputies, Hamer said. He warned the sheriff to "clean up" or Rangers would be sent into the district.

## A Barber Shop Argument This

Presidential Possibilities



**JOSEPH T. RODDINON**

(EDITORS—The two-column cut in mailing sheet No. 137 of James W. Wadsworth should be slugged "Presidential Possibilities." —I. N. S.)

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible School at 9:45. The Bible School is the greatest auxiliary of the church for thru the Bible School most of the church members come, therefore every Christian should attend the Bible School.

Worship and preaching at 11. Following the communion service the pastor will deliver a sermon on the subject, "The Resurrection Gospel."

Junior Christian Endeavor at 4 p.m., and Senior Endavor at 7:15.

Preaching at 8:15. This service last lasts only 45 minutes. We are through by 9:00 o'clock. The subject for the sermon Sunday evening will be: "The Light of the World."

"It just because it seems they grow faster," said the boss barber, picking up the argument. "Hair gets sweaty and matted with street dust and it weighs down on the head and makes one feel uncomfortable and so the average man gets his hair cut often for the summer. These Sherlock Holmes chin scrappers don't use no sense. They see a man in the chair over a month that comes in two or three times all fall and winter and they think his hair is growing faster."

"It's the same way with whiskers. In the summer they feel dirty and it's dirty because of sweat and the damp catches dust and dirt and every time he washes his face it irritates it a little. That's why a man after a shave feels better all over. It gives him a chance to breathe and it gives him the psychological effect of a bath all over. A man that's tired and hot and dusty comes to a barbershop with his nerves all tangled and cross as a bear. He sits down in a soft chair and the first thing he does is to rub all over. There is a cool fan blowing on him. His face is cooled and the fingers of a good barber are giving him a gentle massage that is sort of hypnotic. The whole nervous system is lulled and packed into good humor and the man has a rest that does him more good than two hours napping in his desk chair. He comes out cool, calm, rested and soothed."

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## No Salt Famine Likely In Texas

FORT STOCKTON, Texas, June 11.—Indications are that Texas is not in any danger of salt famine, as long as the salt well on the Frank Perry ranch remains accessible. The ranch is 50 miles east of here.

According to recent tests conducted by experts from the University of Texas, the well is producing salt which is almost 99 per cent pure. The well was drilled about five years ago, and two years ago it began flowing salt water which is nearly one-third salt.

Perry estimates that the well will produce more than three million pounds of salt annually. He plans to put up a series of large vats to catch the water and save the salt.

### MAY BREAK AIR RECORDS

DAYTON, O.—An air circus will be held here late this month by army airmen stationed at McCook Field. Great efforts will be made to break all airplane records held by army fliers.

The probable date of the meet will be Saturday, June 28. Among the records to be contested for are altitude, planing and weight-carrying.

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# LAND OWNERS HIT BY TWO POSTED CUTS

By JOHN W. NAYLOR

Should the 50 cents per barrel cut which the Magnolia Petroleum Company of all the major oil companies alone seems to want or to believe that the situation warrants be forced by its action on others, it is estimated that it would lop roughly \$182,000 per day from the oil revenues of the north half of Texas.

This would be about equally divided between the Mexia-Powell district and the North and Central West Texas district on the other side of Fort Worth. The landowner's share of the loss would be something like \$10,000 per day, oil statisticians estimate, with the rest on the operator's share.

The land owners' share is of course free from expense, and goes back almost entirely to local business channels, or for investment in local enterprises and expansions. The part lopped off the operators' share would largely cancel the profit, which would be available in business channels, for investment, and for expansion of oil operations to land not now included in the oil producing areas.

The Magnolia's apparent belief that crude oil should be reduced was first evidenced by a cut on May 10. This was not followed by the other purchasers, evidencing a united sentiment in the rest of the oil industry that conditions warranted paying more for the oil than the Magnolia paid.

Waits 27 Days.

After a wait of 27 days, with the preponderance of the industry against it, the Magnolia made a second and more drastic reduction. So far only 25,000 barrels per day are affected. A general cut would affect 265,000.

For the oils produced in North Texas, however, the two reductions together amount to 50 cents. Little oils of less than 38 gravity on the average are produced in the district, and the Magnolia gets little or none of the grade "39 and above" which it has abolished, and apparently can not be considered to have reduced.

So far the second reduction has not been met by the other purchasers. Whether they will be able to hold the market up under this additional burden is a matter on which opinion is divided, although the majority apparently are adopting the favorable view.

The industry is in its usual critical Spring condition, which has become particularly marked since the industry in a three-year period of overproduction has built stocks to a huge figure to provide for the inevitable day when the supply will no longer prove adequate. In Winter months more oil and gasoline are produced than used. In Summer months more is used than produced, and a balance is struck. This year with its capital tied up in the acquired stocks, and with the consumption delayed by a late winter, the industry has for the present more oil than it needs. That the situation is fighting itself, however, is supported by every check on production and consumption, and it is believed that consumption will rise to the point of absorbing all the present supply during this month.

Gasoline Orders Gain.

This view is not only supported by statistics but by experience in the local market.

"I haven't seen as many orders for gasoline floating around in many a week as in the past one," one North

Texas refiner who has kept close tab on the situation said Saturday. "I think three weeks at the most will find the industry in a condition where no one could believe that they thought a crude cut possible."

Then if the cut comes the Magnolia must bear the onus of hastening it, or of bringing it about at all, should it prove of short duration.

The situation marks a culmination of the Magnolia crude policy over a number of years, and particularly last year, which is being observed with closest interest by followers of the oil game, and by business men of the section as well, who realize the part oil conditions play in keeping general business and industrial conditions in this territory going at a healthy pace.

The interest is to the future effect on this company from its policy of forcing this company from its policy of forcing prices downward.

Will it have to pay a premium for crude connections, and will it lose the outside oil which it is now buying in lines for 50 cents per barrel less than its competitors?

Speculate on Effect.

Will it have hard time getting farmers in the future to lease their lands to it, as a result of the lower prices which has brought them 25 cents per barrel less for 27 days and 50 cents per barrel less on out than if they had leased their lands to competitors?

Will these landowners consider this difference between what is being paid by the Magnolia and by the other companies as a partial "recapture" of the bonus paid them by this company to lease their lands to it?" Estimating the Magnolia's own production in North Texas at roughly 15,000 barrels per day, it is paying the farmers and ranch owners whose lands they lease, at the rate of \$1,000 per day less than is being paid their neighbors with similar production who leased to other companies. Such are the questions which naturally engage the interest of oil men in considering the future effect on the company initiating an oil price cut in a territory which in a large measure bases its prosperity on the price of crude oil and refined products, most of which it sells to non-producing states. Most of the larger companies apparently dislike the role of price-cutter even when it is recognized as justified by conditions, as when the purchasers unanimously meet the price in a single day.

Interest is added in the Magnolia's case due to the fact that although its present policy is more isolated, its crude policy in the past has earned it the general reputation through the industry of paying as little for the crude oil produced as the traffic would bear.

Its prices in years past for crudes of the Hoaldton and Corsicana heavy grades, in which for a long time it had a clear sway, was far less than that for similar grades paid by other purchasers elsewhere.

Powell Experience Recalled.

Last year at Powell, where it eventually had a total of five lines and where it bought to the capacity of those lines, while the field was in its flush, the other purchasers were busy caring for their own production, twice it cut the price below the level established by others. The most important of these was in the period between Oct. 30 and Nov. 19, when its price for Powell crude was 25 cents per barrel under the posted price of other companies, and where it kept its connections because of a flood of crude in the field, forced producers and royalty owners to get an outlet for their oil at the price it would bring.

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## TWO BRYANS WILL FIGURE IN DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION.



For the first time there will be two Bryans of consequence at a Democratic National Convention. When sessions begin at New York this month Nebraska supporters of Governor Charles W. Bryan, of that State will put his name in nomination for Presidential standard bearer, although he has asked them not to do it. William J. Bryan, who thrice was the Democratic Presidential nominee, will fight for a dry platform in the Democratic platform, as a member of the delegation from Florida, his adopted State.

It is estimated that during most of this 20-day period the Magnolia was taking in the neighborhood of 75,000 barrels per day, or \$75,000 in the period for all of the oil less than the market price. Less than 60 days after this oil had been tanked, and when the flow had ceased, it had followed other companies quotations up to a valuation of \$1.60 per barrel for this same crude.

Similarly the Magnolia had taken the lead in forcing down Mid-Continent prices slightly earlier.

**Contracts Cited.**

On Nov. 1, 1923, the Gulf Pipe Line Company reduced Gulf Coast crude 25 cents, at a time when it was getting more oil from these fields than it could handle. None of its competitors met the cut. On Nov. 15 it returned to the price of other pipe lines, making the price retroactive and paying the same as its competitors for all oil run during that half month, even though it had promised less. May 10 the Humble Oil and Refining Company met the Magnolia's first cut. When the other companies failed to follow suit, this company in a few days restored the higher prices, and made it apply on all oil run since the cut "We do not want our customers to be

penalized by reason of their being our customers," was one of the explanations given.

These instances are cited in order to contrast the procedure of the Magnolia in the Powell instance when it bought the oil for 25 cents less during the period of wasteful overproduction while its policy of buying all the oil offered was blamed by many for forcing the situation on all in the field.

Will it, when production and consumption strike their expected balance make it hard for that company to obtain oil without paying premiums, or to lease land for future oil explorations?

There is less division of opinion, however, on its effects on sales of the Magnolia products in the oil territory of North Texas. Opinion is almost unanimous that it makes little difference there, and that even though the underlying conditions govern the public ability to buy gasoline and motor oils, the public knows little about it and cares less. The loss of leadership in gasoline sales in Texas by the Magnolia to one of its competitors, and the gaining of ground by others, is attributed more to their own expansion and activity than to



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## Knights of Pythias To Hold Memorial Services Sunday

Travis Lodge No. 20, Knights of Pythias held another interesting meeting Thursday night and Knighted one Esquire.

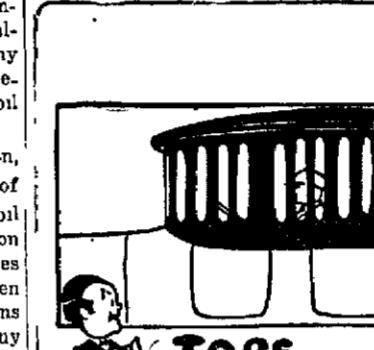
Arrangements were completed for holding the annual memorial and decorating services Sunday. The Knights will assemble at the hall at 8:30 a.m. and go to the cemetery and decorate the graves of deceased Knights, but holding no service at the cemetery.

The memorial services will be conducted at the First Methodist church at the evening hour by Rev. W. B. Andrews, a past chancellor of Travis Lodge, he having gone through the chairs of the lodge while the pastor here more than twenty years ago.

All members who can go to the cemetery Sunday morning are expected to be at the hall promptly at 8:30 with some flowers and if you haven't a car be there any way and some one will take you to the cemetery. This part of the service will only require a short while and will not interfere with

any effect which the role in which it is concerned by the industry might have had.

### Rough Dry



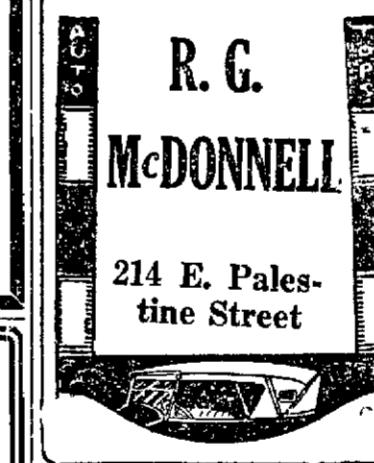
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at Mexia, Texas, under the act of March 3, 1879.**"For Mexia, I WILL"****FLY THE FLAG ON FLAG DAY.**

Saturday, June 14, is designated as a day to honor the flag—our flag, the flag. Men and women throughout these United States are called upon on that occasion to assemble themselves together to catch the meaning and inspiration of the Stars and Stripes. In Mexia, the Elks Lodge, at 8:15 Saturday night, will hold a public flag day service at the First Methodist church. All patriots of all ages are urged to be present, not because our flag is beautiful, which it is, but because it is the personal possession of every American, and because of what it means and what it stands for.

"Old Glory" means liberty, liberty of thought, liberty of conscience, liberty of action with just laws, liberty of worship, liberty of government. It typifies the ideals of a hundred and ten million people, the heritage they have received from the hands of the fathers, the torch of human happiness lighted by the fires of patriotism in 1776 and which it is the duty of today to keep burning for the tomorrow. It prays for strength to keepr our vision undimmed by the weakness of human depravity. The American flag is the American's prayer to God to keep and dispense the truths and right and for more wisdom to continue upon earth those social and political liberties which make of America a Christian nation. Its proud flutter in the wind, its beauty overhead and visible symbol to all the world of the inner and spiritual hope of every thinking American that the nation, under God, may so act and live that His blessing may continue to rest upon it.

The Scottish-Rite News Bureau, recently sent out an appeal for all Americans to honor the Flag on Flag Day. It says:

"Honor the flag, this day. Fly it, take off hats to it, celebrate it. Let there be no hamlet so small in all this land that a procession is not turned in its honor; let there be no city so great and busy that its citizens forget the thrill once more at the sight of Old Glory. Flag Day, June 14, best of all days for all of us to enter a house of God and on bended knees thank the Giver of all good that it is our good fortune to live and love and prosper under such a flag."

**THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY**

## NEW YORK AND TEXAS.

With News-Tribune.  
Great Fall Texas. New York easily  
leads all the other states of  
the union in the value of exports for  
the first three months of 1924. New  
York led every state but Texas by  
more than \$100,000,000 in the value  
of its exports during the first quarter  
of the present year.

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## TEXAS

By H. L. HALL

1.

Dear Texas tho not thy child by birth  
I know no other spot so dear on earth  
And when from thee I am called to  
roam  
My heart hungers for thee my home.

2.

Our sister states have attractions too  
But none dear Texas can compare with  
you  
And for every one that they can show  
Our Texas can duplicate with count-  
less more.

3.

For valiant deeds in defence of the  
right  
Your sons have ever been in the thick-  
est of the fight  
And to mention a few of our heroes  
galore

We point with pride to San Jacinto  
and Alamo.

4.

In your wonderful history your women  
too have a share  
Whose heroism in your trials is re-  
corded as rare  
Their beauty and character as your  
sons we adore  
And in defense of their honor will face  
cannons' roar.

So great is your area that you can  
grow

5.

Food and raiment for millions more  
And on natural glasses your pranies  
feed

Stock of all kinds for every need.

6.

For building material you furnish a  
very great share  
And with your underground resources  
none can compare  
Your scenery so grand makes the  
artist wonder why

That he went to Europe for landscape  
which was so near by.

7.

Your churches and schools rank with the  
best  
If any one doubts it just challenge a  
test

On good morals the true Texan's  
standards is high  
But to make better and better his aim  
is to try.

8.

We celebrate April twenty-first,  
eighty-eight years ago  
Because Sam Houston captured Santa  
Anna at San Jacinto  
When with "Remember the Alamo,"  
they rushed on the foe  
And on that day freed Texas from  
old Mexico.

9.

And today as we walk through the old  
Alamo

So preserved that it's history our  
children may know  
Your daughters and sons where ere  
they may roam

Fling them bonnets and hats to old  
San Antone.

**RADIO PROGRAMS**

## Station Call Letters.

KDKA, East Pittsburgh, 326.  
KFI, Los Angeles, 469.  
KGO, Oakland, 812.KGW, Portland, Ore., 492.  
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GFSG, Los Angeles, 278.WVW, Chicago, 530.  
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WMC, Memphis, 500.

WSB, Atlanta, 429.

WDAF, Kansas City, Mo., 411.

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WFAA, Dallas, 476.

WHAS, Louisville, Ky., 400.

WIP, Philadelphia, 509.

WJAX, Cleveland, Ohio, 390.

WLW, Cincinnati, 309.

WBZ, 9, Orchestra and glee club;

WBZ Trio.

WOAW, 9, Silvus family program.

WBAP, 9:30 to 10:45, Concert,

Hart's Trio.

WGY, 9:30, Program of Italian

music.

WOAW, 9:30, Banjo, mandolin and

guitar music.

10 to 11 p. m.

KFI, 10 to 11, Evening Herald con-

cert.

KHZ, 10 to 12, Louis Gunning,

soprano.

WSB, 10:45, Jubilee Skylark.

11 to 12 Midnight.

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**Capt. Frank Hughes  
Died This Morning;  
Funeral Sat. at 1:30**

A telegram from Waller Coonan this morning announced that Captain Frank Hughes died at his home, and that the remains would arrive here tomorrow morning on the 11:45 train and the funeral will take place from the First Presbyterian church at 1:30 p. m. where the services will be conducted by the pastor, assisted by Dr. W. S. Red of Austin, former pastor of the church.

After the services at the church the Masonic fraternity will take charge and conclude the services at the grave.

The following Masons will act as pall bearers, and meet the train and conduct the body to the Corley Funeral Home:

T. A. Griffith  
A. M. Stevens  
Dr. T. F. Oates  
David Murphy  
Nelson Forrest  
J. Sandford Smith  
Judge W. M. White  
J. D. Arrington  
F. P. Hutchison  
N. P. Houx

**It Looked Serious  
But Was Real Funny**

Friday morning about 8:30 a lady from Teague driving a new Ford Sedan, drove up in front of Schulz and Bennett's drug store and called for a cold drink. After being served she started to drive off, but in some way instead of bucking out she started the car ahead and before it could be stopped it climbed the curb and crashed straight ahead into Tom Nolan's insurance office, shattering the front door glass, and bending the bumper on the car, as it came in contact with the wall.

No other damage was done, except to the nerves of the driver of the car and Miss Maud Miller who was in the office, but out of line with the car. Mr. Nolan had just stepped out of the office and thereby missed being struck as the car bumped against his chain.

It is said that the lady is just learning to drive and possibly got her foot on the wrong pedal when she attempted to start the car.

It looked serious at first, but when it developed that no one had been hurt it was real funny and the large crowd that soon gathered had a hearty laugh over the incident.

Of course Mr. Nolan had insurance to cover the damage to his front door, as that is his business—insurance.

**Oil Production In  
Central Texas Drops**

NEW YORK, June 15.—The daily average gross crude oil production of the United States increased 300 barrels per day during June 7, totaling 1,000,000 barrels, according to the weekly summary of the American Petroleum Institute. Daily average production east of Rocky mountains was 1,335,150 barrels, an increase of 6000; California, 625,650 barrels, decrease 5000.

Oklahoma showed a daily average production of 365,800 barrels, increase of 17,000; Kansas, 131,000, increase of 1000; North Texas, 80,500, increase 500; Central Texas, 170,000, decrease 6500; North Louisiana, 52,800, increase 250; Arkansas, 158,100, decrease 95,000; Gulf Coast, 113,000, increase 2650; Eastern, 102,000, increase 1000; Wyoming and Montana, 127,800, decrease 150.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ferry returned to the city after a two weeks vacation, visiting San Antonio, Temple and other places.

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## DAILY NEWS SPORT PAGE

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## TEXAS ASSOCIATION

Yesterday's Results.  
 Austin 19, Mexia 12.  
 Waco 6, Temple 5.  
 Marlin 2-1, Corsicana 1-4.  
 Standing of Clubs.

Clubs	P	W	L	Pct.
Corsicana	48	28	20	.583
Waco	50	28	22	.560
Marlin	51	28	23	.549
Mexia	40	24	26	.400
Austin	47	20	27	.428
Temple	47	18	29	.383

Where They Play Today.  
 Mexia at Austin.  
 Waco at Temple.  
 Corsicana at Marlin.

## TEXAS LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.  
 Wichita Falls 9-7, Beaumont 7-8.  
 Galveston 7, Shreveport 6.  
 San Antonio 7, Dallas 5.  
 Houston 6, Fort Worth 4.  
 Standing of Clubs.

Clubs	P	W	L	Pct.
For Worth	53	35	18	.560
Dallas	54	31	23	.574
Houston	57	32	25	.561
Wichita Falls	54	29	24	.537
San Antonio	54	29	25	.537
Beaumont	57	28	29	.491
Galveston	53	18	35	.310
Shreveport	54	16	38	.296

Where They Play Today.  
 Galveston at Shreveport.  
 Houston at Fort Worth.  
 San Antonio at Dallas.  
 Beaumont at Wichita Falls.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Chicago 9, Boston 5.

Other games rained out.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs	P	W	L	Pct.
New York	49	30	19	.612
Chicago	50	30	20	.600
Brooklyn	46	25	21	.541
Cincinnati	48	25	23	.521
Pittsburgh	47	22	25	.468
Boston	45	21	24	.467
St. Louis	49	20	29	.408
Philadelphia	44	16	28	.364

Where They Play Today.

St. Louis at Brooklyn.

Cincinnati at New York.

Chicago at Boston.

Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Chicago 5, Philadelphia 3.

New York 10, Detroit 4.

Boston 4, Cleveland 3.

St. Louis-Washington, rain.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs	P	W	L	Pct.
Boston	45	26	19	.578
Detroit	51	24	23	.519
St. Louis	47	21	21	.489
Chicago	45	22	23	.489
Washington	46	22	24	.478
Cleveland	45	20	25	.441
Philadelphia	46	18	28	.301

Where They Play Today.

Washington at St. Louis.

Boston at Cleveland.

New York at Detroit.

Philadelphia at Chicago.

Zebbie Howell, former Trinity university star, and in t year with the Mexia team of the Texas Association, is now a free agent, and already to sign with any Texas Association club. Howell is in the best of condition, having coached the North Side high team of Fort Worth during the season just closed. Howell can be found in Fort Worth at 1513 St. Louis Avenue. His phone is Rosedale 5109. Howell is a capable infielder and a brilliant outfielder. Last year he hit above .250.

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Pat Hartigan and Sidney De Grey.



## WILLS FINDS MADDEN A GAME FIGHTER.



WILLS SHOWS CLASS, FIGHTING MADDEN

Some sport writers were not satisfied with the "class" which Harry Wills, negro heavyweight boxer, showed in his bout with Bartley Madden. The opinion is Wills will have to win a decisive victory over Luis Firpo, the Argentine scrapper, in order to get promoters sufficiently excited to go through with any match in the future with Jack Dempsey, the title holder.

AUSTIN WINS FARCE GAME

AUSTIN, Texas, June 13.—In the big joke game of the season Austin won from Mexia today, 19 to 12. Meeks, former Marin pitcher, was simply slaughtered by the Rangers. Scott of Austin was taken out in the sixth after 10 runs had been counted. Austin obtained 23 hits, including three home runs and five doubles.

Mexia— ab r h po a e  
 Geppert s s .. 6 1 3 0 4 0  
 Fowlkes c-p .. 5 2 0 3 2 0  
 Harding f-b .. 5 2 2 5 0 1  
 Butler 1 f .. 1 2 2 1 0 0  
 Jones 3 b .. 4 1 2 3 2 0  
 Heying r f .. 5 1 2 2 0 0  
 Bryan c f .. 5 1 1 4 0 0  
 Leedy 2 b .. 4 1 0 3 2 0  
 Weeks p .. 5 1 0 3 2 0  
 Totals .. 43 12 12 21 12 1

Austin— Cannon c f .. 5 3 2 2 0 0  
 Clements s .. 6 2 3 1 1 1  
 Chancy 2 b .. 3 3 1 0 2 1  
 Flynn 1 f .. 5 2 2 0 0 0  
 Anheier 1 b .. 5 3 4 1 0 1  
 Bedford r f .. 6 1 3 2 0 0  
 Matlock 3 b .. 5 2 2 1 2 0  
 Henderson .. 6 2 3 9 0 0  
 Flaherty p .. 0 0 0 0 0 0  
 Scott p .. 2 1 1 1 1 1  
 Courtney .. 2 0 1 0 0 0  
 Whitwith p .. 1 0 0 1 0 0  
 Totals .. 40 19 23 27 9 4

Mexia .. 200 0016 000-12  
 Austin .. 081 30 0 00x-19

Home runs—Chancy, Anheier, Henderson. Two-base hits—Geppert, Matlock, Clements, Cannon, Anheier, Bedford, Harding. Winning pitcher—Flyerty. Stolen bases—Cannon, Anheier.

YESTERDAY'S HOME RUNS

Ruth, Kank, 1-15.  
 Miller, Athletics, 1-1.

Advertising is just a means of creating more business. If you don't believe in advertising you are just about through growing.

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Very often it goes into other homes that are anything but favorable for cleanliness.

Did you ever smell of the clothes that are sent to the wash woman and then of the ones that went to the laundry? My what a difference! Next week have us do your washing for you.

NEW-WAY  
LAUNDRY

PHONE 399

Send it to the Laundry

MARLIN AND CORSICA SPLIT  
 MARLIN, Texas, June 13.—After losing the first game of Thursday's double bill through errors by a score of 2 to 1, the Corsicana Oilers got to Thomas in the seventh inning of the second game for three hits and as many runs, defeating Marlin 4 to 1. Grab hit a homer for the Oilers' only score off Gressett in the first. The loss in the second game pushed Marlin back to third place.

First Game.

Corsicana— ab r h po a e  
 Etheridge 1 f .. 4 0 1 4 0 0

Grubb 3 b .. 3 2 2 1 2 0  
 Thornton 1 b .. 3 0 1 6 0 0

Brown c f .. 2 0 1 5 0 0  
 Barrett r f .. 4 0 1 1 0 0

Malquist 2 b .. 4 0 1 2 3 0  
 Sain s s .. 3 0 0 0 0 3

Vann c .. 3 0 1 2 0 0  
 Geddes p .. 3 1 2 0 2 0

Totals .. 29 4 10 21 7 3

Marlin—  
 Mayhew 1 f .. 3 0 0 7 0 0

Alexander 2 b .. 2 0 0 1 0 0  
 Greer c f .. 3 0 0 2 0 0

Pipkin 1 b .. 3 1 1 6 0 0  
 Munson r f .. 2 0 1 3 1 0  
 Rawlins s s .. 2 1 0 4 3 1  
 White 3 b .. 3 0 0 1 2 0  
 Covington c .. 3 0 1 3 1 0  
 Gressett p .. 3 0 0 0 1 0

Totals .. 35 1 9 24 15 2

Marlin—  
 Mayhew 1 f .. 3 0 0 7 0 0

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 Rawlins s s .. 2 1 0 4 3 1  
 White 3 b .. 3 0 0 1 2 0  
 Covington c .. 3 0 1 3 1 0  
 Gressett p .. 3 0 0 0 1 0

Totals .. 27 1 5 21 13 3

Corsicana .. 000 001 3-4

Marlin .. 010 000 0-1

Two-base hits—Grubb, Barrett, Vann, Mayhew, Alexander. Struck out—Thomas 6, Geddes 1. Bases on balls—Thomas 2, Geddes 1.

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### NOTICE OF CHARTER ELECTION

An ordinance ordering an election in the City of Mexia, Texas, to be held on the 7th day of July, 1924, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City of Mexia, Texas, for the adoption or rejection of the proposed charter, prepared and framed by the Charter Commission heretofore elected, and designating the places at which said election is to be held, and appointing presiding officers thereof and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, on the 11th day of February, 1924, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, duly enacted an ordinance, submitting to the qualified voters of said City, at an election ordered and held for the purpose, on the 18th day of March, 1924, the question: "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER?" and also providing for an election of fifteen members of a charter commission in case a majority of the votes cast at such election should be in favor of the choosing of such a commission, and which ordinance was duly approved and published and notices of such election were duly given as required by law; and

WHEREAS, said question was duly submitted and voted upon at said election in said city on said date, and the majority of the qualified voters voting at such election voted in favor of the choosing of a commission to frame a charter, and also a majority of the qualified voters voting at said election, voted in favor of fifteen citizens of said city to compose said Charter Commission; and

WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on the said 18th day of March, 1924, and results of said election was duly certified and returned to the City Commission by the proper election officers; and

WHEREAS, on the 21st day of March, 1924, this commission considered the several returns and canvassed the same, and found that there were cast, at said election, six hundred twenty-seven (627) votes, of which number five hundred five (505) votes were cast for the choosing of a charter commission, and one hundred twenty-two (122) votes were cast against the choosing of a charter commission, and this commission thereupon, by resolution, duly entered, declared that the position so submitted was sustained and adopted by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, voting at said election; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, has examined it and investigated the regularity of the proceedings for said election and finds that the same was duly and legally held, that the notice required by law to be given has been duly and legally given, and that said election was conducted in strict conformity with all the requirements of law; and

WHEREAS, each and all of said fifteen citizens, so elected, duly qualified as members of said charter commission, and met and organized the same, and duly proceeded to frame a charter for the City of Mexia, Texas, and, heretofore, on the 21st day of May, 1924, as such commission, signed such proposed charter and duly provided for the submission of the same to a vote of the qualified voters of said City, at an election to be held upon the question of the adoption or rejection of such charter upon the 7th day of July, 1924; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission provided that the present City Commission shall call an election for such purpose; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission will ratify and confirm and make the enactment of this ordinance its act and deed, and will make such ordinance its order for such election, all of which will be evidenced by the signature of the members of said Charter Commission appended hereto under the words: "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION"; therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA, TEXAS:

Section 1. That an election shall be held in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 7th day of July, 1924, at which the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the charter reported by the Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 27th day of May, 1924, and which had been prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected by the qualified voters of the city of the 18th day of March, 1924, be adopted as the charter of the City of Mexia, Texas, as contemplated and authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, including Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session?"

Section 2. That the polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be, respectively, as follows: the polling place shall be at the City Hall, in the City of Mexia, and W. B. Kendrick is hereby designated as presiding officer.

Section 3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session, and all persons qualified to vote in said City under the laws

### LOST AND FOUND—D

LOST—\$120.00 in currency; probably left in Farmers State Bank Monday morning. Finder please return to Farmers State Bank or J. O. Stephen. Liberal reward. 9D7

### NOTICE OF SALE

#### IN BANKRUPTCY

OFFICIAL BALLOT

"For the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924." And those opposed shall have on their ballots the following:

"Against the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

Against the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

Section 6. That the action of the aforesaid Charter Commission in calling the election for the purpose hereinabove stated, and in all other respects with reference to the framing and submitting of such proposed charter, are hereby ratified and confirmed, and the said Charter Commission, or the members thereof, shall ratify and confirm all things done by the present City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, with respect to the matters and things dealt with in this ordinance, and shall make the same their act and deed by subscribing their respective names hereunto under the caption, "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION," and such names as so subscribed shall be published as a part of this ordinance.

Section 7. A copy of this ordinance shall be sufficient notice of said election, and thirty (30) days notice of the time and place of holding the said election shall be given by posting certified copies thereof at the places designated for holding said election at least thirty (30) days prior to the holding of said election, and by publication of such notice not less than thirty (30) full days from date of election.

Section 8. The fact that the City of Mexia is at the present time without a charter and that the public interests require the adoption of a charter, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read upon more than one day and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance, and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this the 27th day of May, 1924.

E. WATSON,  
Mayor of the City of Mexia, Texas.  
(Seal)  
Approved:

Attest:  
R. D. Morgan, City Secretary.  
Approved by Charter Commission:  
I. W. Keys  
David Murphy  
Bon F. Stollenwerck  
B. R. Howard  
Carl Davis  
J. I. Riddle  
C. A. Chambers  
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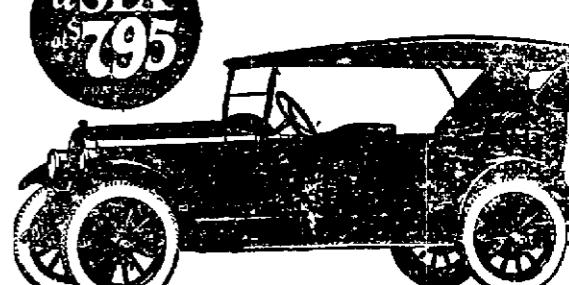
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# POWELL OIL FIELD REPORT

The Powell field output continues to show decline as natural and as expected. Some new work is being done, however.

The Mutual Oil Co.'s No. 1 Mrs. Newlin, Hardin survey, a wildcat test in Navarro County, was abandoned at 3,653 feet. It cored salt water.

The McMan Oil Co.'s No. 9 Chapman, Broyles survey, Powell Field, made a 150-bbl. well on the sand from sand at 2,814-52 feet. The well shows some salt water. Pickens and others' No. 1 Christian, Lane survey, has been temporarily abandoned in chalk at 2,615 feet. The Gulf Production Co.'s No. 9 Witherspoon, Broyles survey, was abandoned at 2,085 feet. The Humble Oil & Refining Co., abandoned its No. 5 Hill, Smith survey, at 2,100 feet. John Hooser's No. 4-A Hill, Smith survey, tested dry at 3,901 to 3,006 feet and was abandoned. It had a little gas at 1,350 feet. This well was on a lease which produced pushers a few weeks ago. G. I. Moore and others have abandoned a location for a test on the 1. N. Cert farm, Smith survey. Reddins and others tested salt water in their No. 1 Woolens, Greer survey, at 3,000 feet and abandoned it. The Sims Oil Co.'s No. 1 Hill, Greer survey, got sand at 2,090-96 feet and when put on the pump yielded 400 bbls. of fluid a day of which 65 percent was salt water. Stroube & Stroube's No. 5 Hill, Smith survey, tested dry at 2,160-2,500 feet and was abandoned. Tidai Oil Co.'s No. 14-A Ramsey is a 35-bbl. well at 1,178 to 1,600 feet. Witherspoon and others' No. 1 Bush, Smith survey got sand at 2,000 feet, total depth 2,900 feet and the well swabbed 300 bbls. the first 24 hours. The Humble Oil & Refining Co.'s No. 21-B Ramsey, Smith survey, made a 40-bbl. well in broken sand at 1,150 to 1,600 feet. The Sims Oil Co.'s No. 2 Howell, Mathews survey, tested dry at 3,102 feet and was abandoned. The Texas & Brazos Valley Railroad Co.'s No. 7 Right of Way got sand at 2,868 to 2,950 feet. It swabbed 150 bbls. a day, 10 per cent salt water.

## NORTH AND CENTRAL TEXAS

	May 31	May 21
Burkburnett	30,300	20,800
Electra	20,800	19,700
Iowa Park and KMA	3,650	2,300
Petrolia	300	300
Archer County	35,000	32,250
Total, North Texas	70,800	75,350
Central Texas	20,500	20,500
Stephen's County	20,500	20,500
Ranger (Eastland)	7,500	8,050
Desdemona	4,050	4,070
Young County	4,200	4,200
Mexia	32,650	32,750
Currie	3,050	3,050
Corsicana - Powell	98,100	101,200
Corsicana, heavy	650	650
Strawn	1,100	1,100
Moran	1,800	1,800
All others	10,500	10,750
Total, Central Texas	185,950	199,800
North and Central	205,850	201,450

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Stephens of 200 East Travis entertained with Sunday dinner June 8th. The following out-of-town guests: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wheeler, J. B. Jr., and baby Celestine, of Waco; Misses Bobbie Bryant and Bernice Shotwell, of Marion, and Misses Ruth and Allie Brown of Groesbeck.

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## Leaders Plan for Contest

(Continued from Page 1)

was going on and served notice that he would oppose the selection of Curtis even to the point of carrying his fight to the platform if necessary. He countered the Curtis proposal with one for Theodore Burton of Ohio, and the balloting began with the situation there.

Butler's opposition killed Curtis' chances and Burton was regarded as too old and not the type of man to appeal for votes in sections where votes were needed. So, with their candidate squelched by Butler, the Senatorial clique turned to former Gov. Frank O. Lowden to turn aside Burton.

Lowden's friends in the convention tried in vain to prevent his nomination and after failing tried further to discourage voting for him, but it was evident on the first ballot that Lowden commanded much popular favor. He led the field on the first ballot while Burton could muster only enough votes to run fourth—behind Kenyon and Dawes.

Burton threatened to do better, however, according to Butler, so on the second ballot Lowden was eased

over into a nomination.

Now this may have been done just to show Mt. Butler what can and cannot be done at a convention. It was noticed that after the nomination was made and formally announced none of the big delegations walked toward the doors thinking the session was about over and most of the old timers were in their seats waiting to see what Butler would do or up on the platform telling the convention officers what to do.

Since Lowden already had declined 2 or 3 times to accept the nomination—and been quite emphatic about it; and, since members of the old timers knew how Lowden felt about the political chancery which jerked the presidential nomination from under his seat in 1920, they weren't surprised at his refusal once more to accept the nomination when tendered him even over his blunt objections.

So Burton, couldn't get it, Lowden wouldn't have it—and things were all at sixes and sevens. The convention recessed so that the leaders could think things over again. Butler suggested Judge Kenyon of Iowa again. But when he suggested Kenyon earlier in the day as a substitute for Curtis, Pennsylvania and New York and Ohio joined in an emphatic chorus of "absolutely no." The same delegates felt no differently about it this time than they did before.

With two throw downs to his record the refusal of Borah and Lowden, Butler turned to Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover. It was pointed out to Butler that Hoover's position was much the same as that of Borah and Lowden—it would embarrass him to accept after strenuously saying he wanted none of the candidates.

A committee talked with Hoover on the phone. They returned with the bad news that Hoover would "become embarrassed by a nomination" but Butler was adamant. It was difficult for him to understand how many men could refuse the office if nominated because it never had been done before and while Lowden did it there were extenuating circumstances and certainly such an

amazing thing could not have happened twice in the same convention. So the balloting proceeded with the word passed from Butler's quarters that Hoover would go over "cure."

But by this time, with the hour getting late, the need of rest getting very pronounced and the refusal of candidates to accept posts that already had objected to, the delegates were in ripe mood for a revolt against any more of Butler's candidates.

They rode through on Dawes, the pick of the big business delegations, who turned enough votes to him early in the balloting to get the semi-blaze of a stampede started in the minds of the weary delegates.

The feeling of concern among some of the state chairmen at Butler's

leadership during the coming campaign, may best be shown by the remark last night of one of them after the convention ended. "Butler picked four horses. Borah wouldn't run. Burton couldn't run. Kenyon was scratched and Hoover was left at the post."

Dawes was the final choice.

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## BANDITS STAGE BOLDEST HOLD-UP IN HISTORY OF U. S. COOLIDGE AND DAWES REPUBLICAN NOMINEES

## 48 CLAIMED IN PEACE TIMES GREATEST NAVAL HORROR

### SCORE OR MORE OF BANDITS USE GAS BOMBS WHEN TRAIN HALTED & LOOTED OF MILLION

CHICAGO, June 13.—Forty two sacks of registered mail, containing cash and bonds estimated at between \$1,000,000 and \$2,500,000 were seized last midnight by a band of 20 or 25 men who held up the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul mail train near Rondout, Ill., 30 miles north of Chicago.

Gas bombs were used by the bandits on two cars, which mail clerks refused to open. The bandits worked for more than an hour, sorting out the mail sacks. One of them was shot accidentally by a comrade, police stated. After the robbery the bandits sped away in automobiles in the direction of Chicago.

Hundreds of police and citizens, armed with shot guns and other weapons, searched the territory between Chicago and Milwaukee.

Shortly before midnight, as the mail train approached Rondout, some one pulled the signal cord. When Engineer Waite stopped to find out why the signal had been pulled, a band of men rushed from the darkness, some firing revolvers. Bullets crashed through the windows of several cars and whistled about the ears of the engine crew.

The train was made up of 11 cars, the third from the engine carrying most of the loot. When the car crew, consisting of Jacob Weiss, T. A.

Postal Inspectors said the whole affair looked like an "inside job."

### FRENCH SENATOR MADE PRESIDENT FRENCH NATION

VERSAILLES, France, June 13.—Gaston Doumergue, president of the senate, was elected president of France by the national congress. The new president has the support of Poincare coalition as being the least radical of the candidates, put forward by the left.

### CONSOLIDATION OF RAILROADS SURE

WASHINGTON, June 13.—The acquisition by the New Orleans, Texas and Mexico railway of the control of the International and Great Northern by the purchase of the capital stock, was conditionally approved and authorized by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The consolidation is opposed by Texas. The Commission gave its approval on condition that if later it were determined that the merger is not in the public interest, the N. O. T. & M. should on 90 days notice dispose of the I. & G. N. stock. Consolidated it would strengthen the general transportation system in the territory served, the Commission holds.

### PESTS RAVAGE 15 ACRES ONE DAY NORTH COOLIDGE

A. D. Harrison prominent Limestone County farmer, formerly of the Shiloh community, but now living North of Coolidge, was in town today, and reports that the careless worms, and grasshoppers are playing sad havoc with the cotton crops in his section. He states that they have destroyed 15 acres for him since last Monday morning.

### WAYLAND COLLEGE SCENE OF BLAZE

PLAINVIEW, Texas, June 13.—A near panic ensued in the girls' dormitory of Wayland College when fire broke out. However, the blaze was extinguished with little damage and the classes were resumed immediately.

### ENTHUSIASM IS SCATTERED AS DAWES GOES INT OLEAD

By FRASER EDWARDS

CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 13.—

"We want to put some pep and hell and mirth into this campaign" yelled A. W. Jefferis, of Omaha, as he placed General Chas. G. Dawes in nomination for vice president yesterday afternoon and today delegates were still wandering about Cleveland after several hours of just that.

General Dawes was leaving Marietta, Ohio, for Chicago—the convention's choice for running mate with President Coolidge. A republican convention has never before nominated two vice presidential candidates in a single day but this one did. It is not often that a Republican convention loses such control of itself that the managers are not able to guide it exactly in the path they would have it go. But this one lost all control. It had plenty of speed in its closing hours, but was winding up like a southpaw and throwing vice presidential candidates all over the lake front. Coolidge and, Dawes is the ticket. The brigadier general was nominated by a vote that became unanimous on the first ballot during the night session. It was the third vice presidential ballot of the convention. But indicative of the differences of opinion that prevailed among men who were considered vice presidential timber, the convention members and the delegates, a half dozen other tickets were announced by positive by folks who should know before the convention seemed by positive by folks who should know before the convention seemed to simply swarm on Dawes, so as not to miss the night trains out of town. Wm. M. Butler, President Coolidge's campaign manager, F. Stearns of Boston and a half dozen other convention managers had been correct in all of the positive tips that were put out on who they intended to nominate, here are the tickets that would have been in the field:

Coolidge and Borah.  
Coolidge and Kenyon.  
Coolidge and Buiton.  
Coolidge and Hoover.

Dawes was not mentioned in the plans of the party managers and did not have any marked support in Hotel lobby discussions among delegates.

When the convention met last night, after hearing the refusal of former Governor Frank O. Lowden, none had the slightest notion concerning the likely nominee. The Coolidge managers were prepared to test the strength of their favorites through ballots until they picked one strong enough to win and the opposing factions were prepared for the same tactics. Then Dawes began to show the greatest strength in the field. There was a stampede for him. The delegates voted, yelled a bit and began gathering up their hats and coats before the ballot was completed. The blow of having Lowden toss back the nomination with a firm refusal after being named earlier in the day, apparently took away any enthusiasm for giving another nominee a big send off and scattered hand clapping was all that greeted the news that Dawes had passed the majority mark.

The bitterness that flared up among republican leaders yesterday over the vice presidential selection bristled militantly as the committee and committeewomen assembled to make William Butler chairman of the campaign. There is some feeling against Butler because none of his selections—Borah, Lowden, Kenyon, Hoover—could be chosen, either because they refused the post, or, as in the case of Hoover, could not poll enough votes. So, Charles G. Dawes was put over by the delegates. However, Butler will be chosen, as he is Coolidge's choice for chairman.

2,000 MINE WORKERS IN  
MOVE TO MUSCLE SHOALS

NANTICOKE, Pa.—DeQuincey's "Flight of a Tartar Tribe" will be enacted here June 16, without any of the elements of tragedy when over 2,000 mine workers will leave their homes here to take residence at Muscle Shoals, Ala.

David Todd, of the Pennsylvania Railroad, has arranged special trains to take the party to the Southland, where they will locate permanently.

### Leaders Plan For Contest Before the People

By R. J. BENDER  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 13.—Torn by long hours of sleepless study over one of the most amazing political situations that ever has featured a Republican National convention, members of the National convention met today to organize for the forthcoming campaign.

All of the worry and some of the bitterness that repeatedly flared up thru party leaders yesterday in seeking to nominate a strong running mate for President Calvin Coolidge bristled militantly today as the new committee and committeewomen assembled to make Wm. M. Butler, their chairman for the campaign.

Of course there is nothing to do but elect Butler to lead the National committee. It is the President's wish—and there are none to deny him—but it is perhaps unfortunate that the Coolidge-Dawes ticket goes for the post for the great quadrennial presidential sweepstakes with its jockey sharply at odds with the trainers and many of those conducting the race.

There were many rough spots in the handling of the vice presidential nomination fight in the convention yesterday and perhaps still more in the private room conferences which preceded the balloting. Many of the old time Republican leaders pointed to these as indicative of Butler's lack of experience in National political matters. Then, too, there was much resentment that Butler—an "outsider"—should come into the party councils and attempt to establish a dictatorship over a domain long ruled by school politicians.

Butler wanted Senator Borah for Coolidge's running mate. He thought Borah would accept, it was said, in fact, that Borah had never said he would not—President Coolidge who probably never asked him to.

Political leaders in the great states of Pennsylvania, New York and Ohio said "All right we'll put over Borah."

Then Borah threw the job back into their faces and Butler heard more than one strong administration pillar say, "I, for one, will wash my hands of the whole business."

But men like Senators Reed and Pepper of Pennsylvania, Wadsworth of New York, and Willis of Ohio decided to try, with the aid of some of the old timers to put over for the vice presidency one of their Senatorial or Congressional number. They agreed upon Senator Curtis and didn't tell Butler about it.

But the shrewd Yankee, manager of Mr. Coolidge soon heard what

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### PEA WEEVIL IS NEWEST PERIL TO COTTON CROP

SPARTA, Ga.—The "Pea Weevil" is the latest destroyer of cotton in this section.

Considerable interest was created among farmers recently when C. M. Layson, who lives near here, reported that some kind of an insect had literally killed eight acres of his cotton. Boll weevil experts visited his farm and pronounced the pest a "pea weevil."

The "pea weevil" they said is as destructive to cotton as the boll weevil, but it can more easily be eliminated. They stated that one dusting of calcium arsenate will destroy the pests.

### PROMINENT FIGURES IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



Viscount Kato, leader of the Kenseikai party, the largest single party in the Japanese Diet, may be Japan's new Premier, succeeding Premier Kiyoura, resigned.

Frédéric François-Marsal, Premier Designate of the French Republic, if successful in winning a vote of confidence in the French Chamber, may prevent President Millerand from being forced to resign.

Lillian Warren, 18, who adopted "make-up" when she arrived in Los Angeles from Canada, so shocked her wealthy sweetheart, Dana Stewart, rancher, that he shot himself.

"Dapper Don" Collins, international confidence man, has been returned from Paris to a New York prison, because he jumped his bond, after being charged with larceny.

### RICHLAND DRILLING REPORT SHOWS MORE WELLS IN SIGHT

The Richland field is this week the scene of much new activity and the territory is being given a thorough prospecting by producers; most of whom have been operating for the past three years in the Mexia oil field district.

According to the latest reports here, the Atlantic Swink 1 is rigging up. Boyd Webb 1 is making 450 barrels. Boyd Webb 2 is making 450 barrels. Boyd Webb 3 is standardizing at 2976.

Boyd Webb 4 is standardizing at 2900. Boyd Webb 5 is a location. Boyd Webb 6 is a derrick. Boyd Webb 7 is rigging up.

Bucklin Davis 1 is drilling in hard chalk at 2574.

Collins Brown 1 struck the bottom of the lime at 2827.

Elsick Moran 1 drilling in lime, has reached 2870.

Godley Allison 3 made a small head, 2975.

Godley Allison 4 drilling in lime at 2960.

Godley Allison 5 drilling in shale at 1750.

Hallmark Brown 1 drilling in lime 2610.

Moore Hillburn 1 small showing at 2969.

Oxford Davis 1 standardizing and standing 300 feet in oil.

Providence Swink 2 making heads, total depth 2984.

Sims Allison 1 shut down for gas. Smith Green 1 shut down, 2976.

Sun Brown 4 drilling plug 2917.

Sun Brown 5 drilling in gumbo 2904.

Sun Brown 6 drilling in rock 180.

Tucker Davis 1 drilling in chalk 2935.

Tucker Davis 2 rigging up.

Vaughan Green shut down 2976.

Wallace Davis 1 drilling in gumbo 2610.

### BOLTON LIKELY TO DECLINE THE T. U. PRESIDENCY

AUSTIN, June 13.—It is reported that Dr. Herbert Bolton, in conference with the University Regents, will decline the offer of the presidency. Although no definite word was given out, it is believed that the Regents will have to seek another for the position.

### FRENCH SEEK TO HALT GERMAN SYRIAN TRADE

JERUSALEM.—With the object of eliminating the ever-growing German competition from the Syrian market, the French authority, in Syria, has just enforced a 30 per cent import duty on all goods from countries that are not members of the League of Nations.

In addition, all imported goods from countries who are members of the League—America is specifically named—will be subject to a duty of 15 per cent instead of 11 per cent as hitherto.

### ROY SCOUTS TO RUN CITY

(By International News Service.)

BETHLEHEM, Pa., June 13.—Boy Scouts will run this city for one day on Friday, June 13.

Despite the reputed "bad luck" scheduled for that day, they will elect a mayor, city council and other city officials and will be in entire charge of the affairs of government for that day.

### THE WEATHER.

Texas.—Tonight and Saturday generally fair and continued warm.

### DENVER MAN IS TREASURER FOR REPUBLICANS

CLEVELAND, June 13.—Wm. V. Hones of Denver was elected treasurer of the republican national committee; Wm. H. Butler, chairman; Roy West of Chicago, secretary; Mrs. A. T. Hart of Louisville, woman vice chairman of the committee.

### RANGER CAPTAIN DECLARADS RAIDS REAL IN FIELDS

AUSTIN, Texas, June 13.—Ranger Captain Hamer vigorously denies implications that the raid in the Caldwell-Guadalupe county oil fields where several stills were confiscated, was a hoax. He declared that arrests had not been made by the sheriff for liquor violations. Two of the three men arrested as the result of the raid are sheriff's deputies, Hamer said. He warned the sheriff to "clean up" or Rangers would be sent into the district.

## A Barber Shop Argument This

In this hot weather one can start an argument over almost anything. Yes, and you can tell the craziest stories and offer the silliest theories in the world and get folks to believe them, and the hotter it is the more quickly, apparently, they fall. Take the matter of whiskers, for instance.

Someone in the east came out a day or so ago with the announcement that whiskers grew faster in July and August than they did in January. This seemed an interesting and whimsical sort of theory and worthy of hot weather bickering. The trouble was that just as soon as a specialist was asked about it he snorted.

"Don't be silly!" he said. "You'll be asking next if there is any truth in the saying that fish is brain food."

Well, perhaps that doctor didn't know so much as he thought he did, so the investigator asked a barber. The barber has been barbering for a long while. He said the man in the East was right and that whiskers and hair did grow faster in the summer.

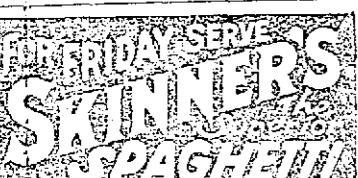
"Then blam! Doctors don't know everything," he said. Then he pointed out that doctors knew only what they read in books about whiskers, but he handled whiskers every day and hair on the head, and he was a hair specialist, he might say.

"Hair grows faster," he explained, "because it gets more air, like a geranium does, in the summer."

The boss barber came up at this time and told the hair specialist that he was a nut and to go on over to No. 3 chair and give "that there guy a shampoo and quit eatin' them darn breath perfumes, will you?" or you'll drive the customers into gas masks."

"It just because it seems they grow faster," said the boss barber, picking up the argument. "Hair gets sweaty and matted with street dust and it weighs down on the head and makes one feel uncomfortable and so the average man gets his hair cut oftener in the summer. These Sherlock Holmes chin scrappers don't use no sense. They see a man in the chair once a month that comes in two or three times all fall and winter, and they think his hair is growing faster."

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JOSEPH T. ROBINSON

(EDITORS.—The two-column cut in mailing sheet No. 137 of James W. Wadsworth should be slugged "Presidential Possibilities." —I. N. S.)

## FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible School at 9:45. The Bible School is the greatest auxiliary of the church for thru the Bible School most of the church members come, therefore every Christian should attend the Bible School.

Worship and preaching at 11. Following the communion service the pastor will deliver a sermon on the subject. "The Resurrection Gospel." Junior Christian Endeavor at 4 p.m., and Senior Endeavor at 7:15.

Preaching at 8:15. This service last lasts only 15 minutes. We are through by 9:00 o'clock. The subject for the sermon Sunday evening will be: "The Light of the World."

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## No Salt Famine Likely In Texas

FORT STOCKTON, Texas, June 11.—Indications are that Texas is not in any danger of a salt famine, as long as the salt well on the Frank Perry ranch remains accessible. The ranch is 50 miles east of here.

According to recent tests conducted by experts from the University of Texas, the well is producing salt which is almost 99 per cent pure. The well was drilled about five years ago, and two years ago it began flowing salt water which is nearly one-third salt.

Perry estimates that the well will produce more than three million pounds of salt annually. He plans to put up a series of large vats to catch the water and save the salt.

## MAY BREAK AIR RECORDS

DAYTON, O.—An air circus will be held here late this month by army airmen stationed at McCook Field. Great effort will be made to break all airplane records held by army fliers.

The probable date of the meet will be Saturday, June 28. Among the records to be competed for are altitude, planing and weight-carrying.

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## "For Mexia, I WILL"

## FLY THE FLAG ON FLAG DAY.

Saturday, June 14, is designated as a day to honor the flag—our flag, the flag. Men and women throughout these United States are called upon on that occasion to assemble themselves together to catch the meaning and inspiration of the Stars and Stripes. In Mexia, the Elks Lodge, at 8:15 Saturday night, will hold a public flag day service at the First Methodist church. All patriots of all ages are urged to be present, not because our flag is beautiful, which it is, but because it is the personal possession of every American, and because of what it means and what it stands for.

"Old Glory" means liberty, liberty of thought, liberty of conscience, liberty of action with just laws, liberty of worship, liberty of government. It typifies the ideals of a hundred and ten million people, the heritage they have received from the hands of the fathers, the torch of human happiness lighted by the fires of patriotism in 1776 and which it is the duty of today to keep burning for the tomorrow. It prays for strength to keep our vision undimmed by the weakness of human depravity. The American flag is the American's prayer to God to keep and dispense the truths and right and for more wisdom to continue upon earth those social and political liberties which make of America a Christian nation. Its proud flutter in the wind, its beauty overhead and visible symbol to all the world of the inner and spiritual hope of every thinking American that this nation, under God, may so act and live that His blessing may continue to rest upon it.

The Scottish Rite News Bureau, recently sent out an appeal for all Americans to honor the Flag on Flag Day. It says:

"Honor the flag, this day. Fly it, take off hats to it, celebrate it. Let there be no hamlet so small in all this land that a procession is not formed in its honor; let there be no city so great and busy that its citizens forget the thrill once more at the sight of Old Glory. Flag Day, June 14, best of all days for all of us to enter a house of God and on bended knees thank the Giver of all good that it is our good fortune to live and love and prosper under such a flag."

## THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

## NEW YORK AND TEXAS.

Waco News-Tribune.

Grand old Texas. New York easily outdistances all the other states of the union in the value of exports for the first three months of 1924. New York led every state but Texas by more than \$100,000,000 in the value of its exports during the first quarter of the present year.

This is shown by news statistics on foreign trade. This is the way they ran: New York first, Texas second, Pennsylvania third. A comparison of figures is interesting, speaking of the two imperial states. They follow: New York, \$183,846,561; Texas, \$147,255,513. Pennsylvania and Nevada ran third and last of the 52 states and regions shown in the bulletin issued by the department of congress.

These are the figures: Pennsylvania, \$74,747,650; Nevada ran last with exports of \$61,379. Texas is a producer of petroleum. Texas is a producer of cotton. Texas is a producer of mohair. Texas is a producer of meat stuffs. Texas is a producer of lumber. Texas is the state that produces every year more than a billion dollars' worth of agriculture products.

Texas claims to be the banner democratic state, but there are a million more democrats in New York that are willing to stand up and be counted than in the entire state of Texas.

Some day Texas, which produces 47 per cent of the American cotton crop, will be the greatest cotton manufacturing state of the union. Then when it comes to exports and their value, New York will be sent to second place. This is the way the stars tell it.

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TEXAS  
By H. L. HALL

1.  
Dear Texas tho not thy child by birth  
I know no other spot so dear on earth  
And when from thee I am called to  
roam  
My heart hungers for thee my home.  
2.  
Our sister states have attractions too  
But none dear Texas can compare with  
you  
And for every one that they can show  
Our Texas can duplicate with count-  
less more.  
3.  
For valiant deeds in defence of the  
right  
Your sons have ever been in the thick-  
est of the fight  
And to mention a few of our heroes  
galore  
We point with pride to San Jacinto  
and Alamo.  
4.  
In your wonderful history your women  
too have a share  
Whose heroism in your trials is re-  
corded as rare  
Their beauty and character as your  
sons we adore  
And in defense of their honor will face  
cannons' roar.  
So great is your area that you can  
grow  
5.  
Food and raiment for millions move  
And on natural grasses your prairies  
feed  
Stock of all kinds for every need.  
6.  
For building material you furnish a  
very great share  
And with your underground resources  
none can compare  
Your scenery so grand makes the  
artist wonder why  
That he went to Europe for landscape  
which was so near by.  
7.  
Your churches and schools rank with  
the best  
If any one doubts it just challenge a  
test  
On good morals the true Texan's  
standards is high  
But to make better and better his aim  
is to try.  
8.  
We celebrate April twenty-first,  
eighty-eight years ago  
Because Sam Houston captured Santa  
Anna at San Jacinto  
When with "Remember the Alamo,"  
they rushed on the foe  
And on that day freed Texas from  
old Mexico.  
9.  
And today as we walk through the old  
Alamo  
So preserved that it's history our  
children may know  
Your daughters and sons where ere  
they may roam  
Fling their bonnets and hats to old  
San Antone.

## RADIO PROGRAMS

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By DAISEY MAYS  
(See Station Calls Above)  
Tune In Time—Central Standard Time

## TUNE IN TIME TONIGHT

June 13, 1924

6:00 to 7:00 p. m.

WDAF, 6 to 7, School of the Air.  
 KGO, 6 to 7:30, Concert orchestra.  
 WWJ, 6, News orchestra.  
 KYW, 6 to 6:30, Dinner concert.  
 WOAW, 6:30, Dinner program.  
 WOC, 6:30, Sandman's visit.  
 KPO, 6:30 to 7:30, Seiger's orches-  
tra.  
 WGZ, 6:45, "The Boss," WGY Play-  
ers.  
 7:00 to 8:00 p. m.  
 WBAV, 7, Concert by orchestra.  
 KDKA, 7, Band concert.  
 WMAQ, 7, Wide-Awake program.  
 WHB, 7 to 8, Old-time dance pro-  
gram.  
 KYW, 7:20 to 7:45, Addresses.  
 WCX, 7:30, Musical program.  
 WOO, 7:30, Organ recital.  
 WHAS, 7:30 to 9, Concert.  
 WMAQ, 7:30 to 9, Concert.  
 WMAQ, 7:40, French lesson.  
 WOS, 7:45 "A Few More Missouri  
Secrets."  
 8:00 to 9:00 p. m.  
 WDAF, 8 to 9:15, WDAF Minstrels;

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**Capt. Frank Hughes  
Died This Morning;  
Funeral Sat. at 1:30**

A telegram from Waller Cosman this morning announced that Captain Frank Hughes died at his home, and that the remains would arrive here tomorrow morning on the 11:45 train and the funeral will take place from the First Presbyterian church at 1:30 p. m. where the services will be conducted by the pastor, assisted by Dr. W. S. Red of Austin, former pastor of the church.

After the services at the church the Masonic fraternity will take charge and conclude the services at the grave.

The following Masons will act as pall bearers, and meet the train and conduct the body to the Corley Funeral Home:

T. A. Griffith  
A. M. Stevens  
Dr. T. F. Oates  
David Murphy  
Nelson Forrest  
J. Sandford Smith  
Judge W. M. White  
J. D. Arrington  
F. P. Hutchison  
N. P. Houx

**It Looked Serious  
But Was Real Funny**

Friday morning about 8:30 a lady from Teague driving a new Ford Sedan, drove up in front of Schulz and Bennett's drug store and called for a cold drink. After being served she started to drive off, but in some way instead of backing out she started the car ahead and before it could be stopped it climbed the curb and crashed straight ahead into Tom Nolan's insurance office, shattering the front door glass, and bending the bumper on the car, as it came in contact with the wall.

No other damage was done, except to the nerves of the driver of the car and Miss Mand Miller who was in the office, but out of line with the car. Mr. Nolan had just stepped out of the office and thereby missed being struck as the car bumped against his chair.

It is said that the lady is just learning to drive and possibly got her foot on the wrong pedal when she attempted to start the car.

It looked serious at first, but when it developed that no one had been hurt it was real funny and the large crowd that soon gathered had a hearty laugh over the incident.

Of course Mr. Nolan had insurance to cover the damage to his front door, as that is his business—insurance.

**Oil Production In  
Central Texas Drops**

NEW YORK, June 13.—The daily average gross crude oil production of the United States increased 400 barrels for the week ending June 7, totaling 1,983,890 barrels, according to the weekly summary of the American Petroleum Institute. Daily average production east of Rocky mountains was 1,363,150 barrels, an increase of 6000; California, 623,650 barrels, decrease 5600.

Oklahoma showed a daily average production of 465,800 barrels, increase of 17,350; Kansas, 73,100, increase of 600; North Texas, 80,250, increase 350; Central Texas, 179,000, decrease 6,550; North Louisiana, 53,800, increase 250; Arkansas, 158,100, decrease 95,600; Gulf Coast, 113,000, increase 2650; Eastern, 105,000, increase 1000; Wyoming and Montana, 127,800, decrease 150.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Perry returned to the city after a two weeks vacation, visiting San Antonio, Temple and other places.

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**ONE OF GREAT MINISTERS OF CHURCH  
COMING TO MEXIA TO ASSIST PASTOR  
AT THE CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN REVIVAL**

Rev. L. D. Young, D. D., who is coming to lead the Revival at the Central Presbyterian Church, June 18-23, is pastor of the City Temple, Dallas, Texas, one of the leading churches of Texas. All of Dallas, and thousands of people of the Southwest who were well acquainted with Rev. J. Frank Smith, rejoiced in the erection of the magnificent church edifice, at Akard street and Patterson Avenue to care for the needs of a growing membership and community. But they were soon saddened when Dr. Smith their great leader was called to his reward. Left without a leader they determined to find a man of outstanding ability. Such a man was secured in Dr. Young who came to Dallas in 1920 from Lincoln Nebraska, where he had been pastor of the Presbyterian Church of which Hon. William Jennings Bryan was a member and worker:

"He is a man's man," was the verdict of a prominent citizen of Dallas who listened to one of his first sermons in that city. At that time one of the Dallas newspapers carried a brief sketch of Dr. Young, which may be of interest to readers of The Mexia News at this time:

City Temple Presbyterian Church is

"Although a man of splendid mental equipment, holding both D. D. and LL.D. degrees Dr. Young is essentially a man of the people. Like the Savior in young manhood he was a carpenter and used his trade as means of making expenses during part of his college course. He has a deep sympathy and love for working men of all types.

In college he played half-back on the football team and won a loving cup for expertness as a tennis player. This gave him the hold on such men that enabled him to win three university football captains to Christ during his pastorate at Lincoln, Nebraska where the State University is located.

He served for a time as a newspaper reporter in Atchison, Kansas, receiving valuable views of life from this standpoint. Later he was editor for a while of the Iowa Presbyterian.

After his first year at Princeton Seminary he served with the Army Christian Commission at Camp Alger near Washington, D. C., where he

came in touch with 20,000 men from all parts of the country and gained some valuable experience in handling men. Graduating in 1920, he went to Charleston, Ind., for his first pastorate. Although he has established a record in all of his pastorates for winning converts, he probably won his most important one there in the person of Mrs. Young, who was a member of his congregation. Mrs. Young is a distinctly Southern woman with Southern view and Southern custom.

To enter a more aggressive field, Dr. Young left Charleston to enter evangelistic work. For six months he held meetings of two weeks' duration in twelve places, with an average of forty converts every two weeks. He led his own singing during this time.

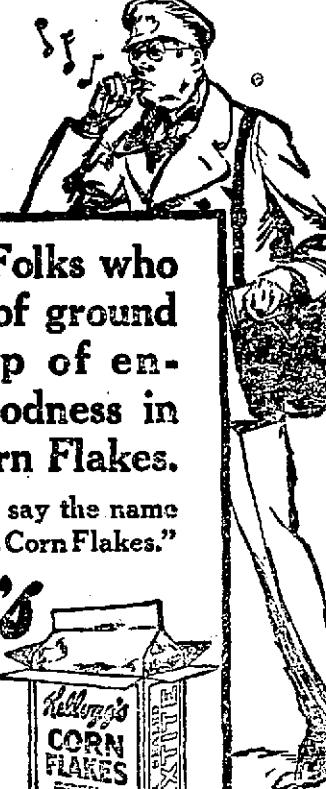
Six happy years were spent serving the church at Washington, Iowa, just a little over 6 years at Beatrice, Nebraska resulted in 421 members being received. On leaving Beatrice, Mr. and Mrs. Young spent two months

one of the key churches in the Southwest. Since Dr. Young has been pastor of this church it has grown remarkably, due largely to Dr. Young's ability as an evangelistic leader and preacher. In 1810 days 1501 members have been received during the three and one-half years of his pastorate. The present membership being 2256.

In coming to Mexia Dr. Young says that the Revival be co-operative. It is the desire of the Central Presbyterians and Rev. Victor K. Aubrey, pastor of the church that all the people of Mexia join in attending, and assisting with the music and the personal work in order that many souls may be won for Christ and all the churches strengthened. Services will be held every evening at the Central Presbyterian Church, Carthage and McKinney streets, and on week days at the Palace Theatre, 10 a. m.

District No. 2, of which Mrs. R. E. Hickman is superintendent, will hold its cottage prayer meeting at 8 o'clock tonight at the home of Mrs. Wallace at the intersection of Sumpner and Sherman streets. Mr. Charlie Lewis will be leader. The subject is "Unity of Spirit and Unity of Effort."

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The W. M. S. will have a social meeting at the home of Mrs. L. C. Strange, 604 Rusk street Monday afternoon. The hostess will be assisted by Mesdames Measels, Tom Denning, and E. M. Strange. Mrs. Geo. Peyton will be in charge of the program.

John 18-28-40, will be the Bible study Wednesday evening.

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## DAILY NEWS SPORT PAGE

BOXING  
TRAPSHOOTING  
TENNISBASEBALL  
CALENDARTEXAS ASSOCIATION  
Yesterday's Results.

Austin 19, Mexia 12.  
Waco 6, Temple 5.  
Marlin 2-1, Corsicana 1-4.  
Standing of Clubs.

Clubs	P	W	L	Pct
Corsicana	48	28	20	.583
Waco	50	28	22	.560
Marlin	51	28	23	.549
Mexia	49	24	25	.490
Austin	47	20	27	.426
Temple	47	18	29	.383

Where They Play Today.  
Mexia at Austin.  
Waco at Temple.  
Corsicana at Marlin.

TEXAS LEAGUE  
Yesterday's Results.

Wichita Falls 9-7, Beaumont 7-8.  
Galveston 7, Shreveport 5.  
San Antonio 7, Dallas 5.  
Houston 6, Fort Worth 4.  
Standing of Clubs.

Clubs	P	W	L	Pct
For Worth	53	35	18	.660
Dallas	54	31	23	.574
Houston	57	32	25	.561
Wichita Falls	54	29	24	.537
San Antonio	54	29	25	.537
Beaumont	57	28	29	.491
Galveston	53	18	35	.340
Shreveport	54	16	38	.296

Where They Play Today.  
Galveston at Shreveport.  
Houston at Fort Worth.  
San Antonio at Dallas.  
Beaumont at Wichita Falls.

NATIONAL LEAGUE  
Yesterday's Results.

Chicago 9, Boston 5.  
Other games rained out.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs	P	W	L	Pct
New York	49	30	19	.612
Chicago	50	30	20	.600
Brooklyn	46	25	21	.544
Cincinnati	48	25	23	.521
Pittsburgh	47	22	25	.468
Boston	45	21	24	.467
St. Louis	49	20	29	.408
Philadelphia	41	16	28	.364

Where They Play Today.  
St. Louis at Brooklyn.  
Cincinnati at New York.  
Chicago at Boston.  
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE  
Yesterday's Results.

Chicago 5, Philadelphia 3.  
New York 10, Detroit 4.  
Boston 4, Cleveland 3.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs	P	W	L	Pct
Boston	45	26	19	.575
Detroit	51	23	23	.549
St. Louis	47	23	24	.489
Chicago	45	22	23	.489
Washington	46	22	24	.478
Cleveland	45	20	25	.441
Philadelphia	46	18	28	.391

Where They Play Today.  
Washington at St. Louis.  
Boston at Cleveland.  
New York at Detroit.  
Philadelphia at Chicago.

Zebbie Howell, former Trinity university star, and last year with the Mexia team of the Texas Association, is now a free agent, and already to sign with any Texas Association club, having coached the North Side high team of Fort Worth during the season just closed. Howell can be found in Fort Worth at 1512 St. Louis avenue. His phone is Rosedale 5100. Howell is a capable infielder and a brilliant outfielder. Last year he hit above .250.

The more you help home interests the better Mexia will get.

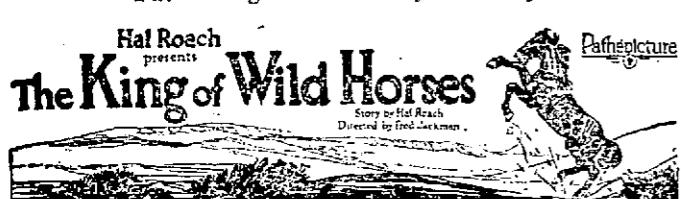
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## WILLS FINDS MADDEN A GAME FIGHTER.



WILLS SHOWS CLASS FIGHTING MADDEN

Some sport writers were not satisfied with the "class" which Harry Wills, negro heavyweight boxer, showed in his bout with Bartley McGinn. The opinion is Wills will have to win a decisive victory over Luis Pirpo, the Argentine scrapper, in order to get promoters sufficiently excited to go through with any match in the future with Jack Dempsey, the title holder.

AUSTIN WINS FARCE GAME

## FIGHTS AND FIGHTERS

BOSTON.—Frank Moody, English middleweight and Jock Malone, St. Paul will meet in a ten round bout here tonight.

NEW YORK.—The all star boxing show to be held here last night was called off on account of cold weather. It will be held Saturday night. Athletics 5 to 3.

A 9th inning rally by Cleveland failed to beat the Red Sox who won 4 to 3.

Manager Huggins' new batting order showed up strong against the Tigers and the Yanks won 10 to 4.

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### CANDIDATES Announcements 1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY  
The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in Limeston county on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—  
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.

For Senator 13th District—  
HARRY P. JORDAN  
For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.  
C. H. MACHEN.

A. M. BLACKMAN (Re-election.)  
For District Attorney,  
77th Judicial District—  
LUTHER B. ALTMAN  
For Judge 87th Judicial District—

J. ROSS BELL  
(Re-Election 2nd Term)  
J. E. WOODS.

L. E. EURANKS  
For District Clerk—  
M. A. AINSWORTH.

For Representative, Sixth Congress  
District—  
LUTHER A. JOHNSON  
(Re-Election Sought)

For Representative Limestone County  
W. P. ALEXANDER.

For County Judge—  
H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)  
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD

B. W. MILES.  
For County Clerk—  
J. L. DAY. (Re-election, 2nd term.)  
For County Tax Assessor—

TOM M. CAIN  
R. W. (BOB) STEEN  
A. A. HYDEN.

J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM  
For Tax Collector—  
W. A. ROBBINS. (Re-election.)  
For County Treasurer—  
H. C. FITZGERALD.

For Sheriff—  
WHIT POPEJOY (Re-election.)  
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—  
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (Re-election.)  
LUTHER COX.

For County Treasurer—  
MRS. LULA OATES, (Re-election.)  
County Attorney—  
SCOTT REED (Re-election, second term.)

For County School Superintendent—  
J. J. BATES.  
MRS. CORA FERGUSON  
(Re-election.)

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 4—  
S. H. FLAKE  
CHARLES L. CLOVER.  
O. KENNEDY, (Re-election, second term.)

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4—  
VIRGIL D. WOOD

For Constable, Precinct No. 4—  
JOE P. FELZ  
For Public Weigher—  
ROY H. STOKES, Re-election

### NOTICE OF CHARTER ELECTION

An ordinance ordering an election in the City of Mexia, Texas, to be held on the 7th day of July, 1924, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City of Mexia, Texas, for the adoption or rejection of the proposed charter, prepared and framed by the Charter Commission heretofore elected, and designating the places at which said election is to be held, and appointing presiding officers thereof and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, on the 11th day of February, 1924, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, duly enacted an ordinance, submitting to the qualified voters of said City, at an election ordered and held for the purpose, on the 18th day of March, 1924, the question: "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER?" and also providing for an election of fifteen members of a charter commission in case a majority of the votes cast at such election should be in favor of the choosing of such a commission, and which ordinance was duly approved and published and notices of such election were duly given as required by law; and

WHEREAS, said question was duly submitted and voted upon at said election in said city on said date, and the majority of the qualified voters voting at such election voted in favor of the choosing of a commission to frame a charter, and also majority of the qualified voters voting at said election voted in favor of fifteen citizens of said city to compose said Charter Commission; and

WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on the said 18th day of March, 1924, and results of said election was duly certified and returned to the City Commission by the proper election officers; and

WHEREAS, on the 21st day of March, 1924, this commission considered the several returns and canvassed the same, and found that there were cast, at said election, six hundred twenty-seven (627) votes, of which number five hundred five (505) votes were cast for the choosing of a charter commission, and one hundred twenty-two (122) votes were cast against the choosing of a charter commission, and this commission thereupon, by resolution duly entered, declared that the proposition so submitted was sustained and adopted by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, voting at said election; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, has examined into and investigated the regularity of the proceedings for said election and finds that the same was duly and legally held, that the notice required by law to be given has been duly and legally given, and that said election was conducted in strict conformity with all the requirements of law; and

WHEREAS, each and all of said fifteen citizens, so elected, duly qualified as members of said charter commission, and met and organized the same, and duly proceeded to frame a charter for the City of Mexia, Texas, and heretofore, on the 27th day of May, 1924, as such commission, signed such proposed charter and duly provided for the submission of the same to a vote of the qualified voters of said City, at an election to be held upon the question of the adoption or rejection of such charter upon the 7th day of July, 1924; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission provided that the present City Commission shall call an election for such purpose; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission will ratify and confirm and make the enactment of this ordinance its act and deed, and will make such ordinance its order for such election, all of which will be evidenced by the signature of the members of said Charter Commission appended hereto under the words: "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION"; therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA, TEXAS:

Section 1. That an election shall be held in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 7th day of July, 1924, at which the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the charter reported by the Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 27th day of May, 1924, and which had been prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected by the qualified voters of the city of the 18th day of March, 1924, be adopted as the charter of the City of Mexia, Texas, as contemplated and authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, including Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session?"

Section 2. That the polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be, respectively as follows: the polling place shall be at the City Hall, in the City of Mexia, and W. B. Kendrick is hereby designated as presiding officer.

Section 3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session, and all persons qualified to vote in said City under the laws

of this State regulating general elections shall be allowed to vote.

Section 4. That the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the law hereinabove referred to.

Section 5. All voters desiring to adopt a charter so prepared and reported by the Charter Commission shall have printed on their ballot the following:

### OFFICIAL BALLOT

"For the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

And those opposed shall have on their ballots the following:

"Against the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

Section 6. That the action of the aforesaid Charter Commission in calling the election for the purpose hereinabove stated, and in all other respects with reference to the framing and submitting of such proposed charter, are hereby ratified and confirmed, and the said Charter Commission, or the members thereof, shall ratify and confirm all things done by the present City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, with respect to the matters and things dealt with in this ordinance, and shall make the same their act and deed by subscribing their respective names hereunto under the caption, "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION," and such names as so subscribed shall be published as a part of this ordinance.

Section 7. A copy of this ordinance shall be sufficient notice of said election, and thirty (30) days notice of the time and place of holding of the said election shall be given by posting certified copies thereof at the places designated for holding said election at least thirty (30) days prior to the holding of said election, and by publication of such notice not less than thirty (30) full days from date of election.

Section 8. The fact that the City of Mexia is at the present time without a charter and that the public interests require the adoption of a charter, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read upon more than one day and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance, and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this the 27th day of May, 1924.

E. WATSON,  
Mayor of the City of Mexia, Texas.  
(Seal)  
Approved:

R. D. MORGAN, City Secretary.  
Approved by Charter Commission:  
I. W. KEYS  
David Murphy  
Ben F. Stollenwerck  
B. R. HOWARD  
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J. I. RIDDLE  
C. A. CHAMBERS  
Mrs. Sam Cox

Mrs. Jack Womack  
Mrs. W. W. Barnett  
Mrs. Roy B. Bass  
Mrs. John H. Sweatt  
Phil Karner  
J. Sanford Smith  
W. Duke Pittman

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### LOST AND FOUND—D

LOST—\$120.00 in currency; probably left in Farmers State Bank Monday morning. Finder please return to Farmers State Bank or J. O. Stephens. Liberal reward. 9D7

### NOTICE OF SALE IN BANKRUPTCY

By virtue of an order of the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Texas, I will, on the 18th day of June, 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m., at Teague, Texas, sell, at auction, for cash, stock of restaurant fixtures and account belonging to the estate of Rex Cafe, Bankrupt; said sale being subject to the approval of the Court.

Inventory may be seen at my office Waco, Texas.

TOM CONWAY, Trustee.  
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31 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 12:50 p. m.  
37 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 5:14 a. m.  
17 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 4:35 a. m.  
19 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 3:55 a. m.

South bound—

246 To cut-off ..... 7:00 a. m.  
16 Houston San Antonio ..... 11:45 a. m.  
32 From Dallas ..... 10:08 a. m.  
38 Austin San Antonio ..... 12:21 a. m.  
18 Houston San Antonio ..... 1:37 a. m.  
20 Houston San Antonio ..... 12:16 a. m.

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North.

No. 8—8:25 p. m.

South.

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# POWELL OIL FIELD REPORT

The Powell field output continues to show decline as natural and as expected. Some new work is being done, however.

The Mutual Oil Co.'s No. 1 Mrs. Newlin, Hardin survey, a wildcat test in Navarro County, was abandoned at 3,463 feet. It cored salt water.

The McMan Oil Co.'s No. 9 Chapman, Broyles survey, Powell Field, made a 130-bbl. well on the swab from sand at 2,814-52 feet. The well shows some salt water. Pickens and others' No. 1 Christian, Lane survey, has been temporarily abandoned in chalk at 2,645 feet. The Gulf Production Co.'s No. 9 Witherspoon, Broyles survey, was abandoned at 2,985 feet. The Humble Oil & Refining Co. abandoned its No. 5 Hill, Smith survey, at 2,100 feet. John Hooser's No. 4-A Hill, Smith survey, tested dry at 3,904 to 3,005 feet and was abandoned. It had a little gas at 1,350 feet. This well was on a lease which produced gushers a few weeks ago. G. I. Moore and others have abandoned a location for a test on the L. N. Cerf farm, Smith survey. Reddens and others tested salt water in their No. 1 Woolens, Green survey, at 3,000 feet and abandoned it. The Sims Oil Co.'s No. 1 Hill, Greer survey, got sand at 2,990-96 feet and when put on the pump yielded 400 bbls. of fluid a day of which 65 percent was salt water. Stroube & Stroube's No. 5 Hill, Smith survey, tested dry at 2,460-2,500 feet and was abandoned. Tidal Oil Co.'s No. 14-A Ramsey is a 35-bbl. well at 1,478 to 1,600 feet. Witherspoon and others' No. 1 Bush, Smith survey got sand at 2,900 feet, total depth 2,990 feet and the well swabbed 300 bbls. the first 24 hours. The Humble Oil & Refining Co.'s No. 24-Ramsey, Smith survey, made a 40-bbl. well in broken sand at 1,453 to 1,600 feet. The Sims Oil Co.'s No. 2 Howell, Mathews survey, tested dry at 3,102 feet and was abandoned. The Texas & Brazos Valley Railroad Co.'s No. 7 Right of Way got sand at 2,858 to 2,950 feet. It swabbed 150 bbls. a day, 10 per cent salt water.

## NORTH AND CENTRAL TEXAS

	May 31	May 24
Burkburnett	20,200	20,800
Electra	20,800	19,700
Iowa Park and KMA	3,550	2,300
Petrolia	300	300
Archer County	33,900	32,250
Total, North Texas	79,900	75,350
Central Texas		
Stephens County	20,500	20,500
Ranger (Eastland)	7,850	8,050
Desdemona	4,050	4,070
Young County	4,200	4,200
Mexia	32,650	32,750
Currie	3,950	3,950
Corsicana - Powell	108,400	101,200
Corsicana, heavy	650	650
Strawn	1,400	1,400
Moran	1,800	1,800
All others	10,500	10,750
Total, Central Texas	185,950	189,300
North and Central	265,850	264,650

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Stephens of 200 East Travis entertained with a Sunday dinner June 8th. The following out of town guests: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wheeler, J. B. Jr. and baby Celestine, of Waco; Misses Bobbie Bryant and Bernice Shotwell, of Martin, and Misses Ruth and Allie Brown of Groesbeck.

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amazing thing could not have happened twice in the same convention.

So the balloting proceeded with the word passed from Butler's quarters that Hoover would go over "sure."

But, by this time, with the hour getting late, the need of rest getting very pronounced and the refusal of candidates to accept posts that already had objected to, the delegates were in ripe mood for a revolt against any more of Butler's candidates.

They rode through on Dawes, the pick of the big business delegations, who turned enough votes to him early in the balloting to get the semblance of a stampede started in the minds of the weary delegates.

The feeling of concern among some of the state chairmen at Butler's

leadership during the coming campaign, may best be shown by the remark last night of one of them after the convention ended. "Butler picked four horses. Borah wouldn't run. Burton couldn't run. Kenyon was scratched and Hoover was left at the post."

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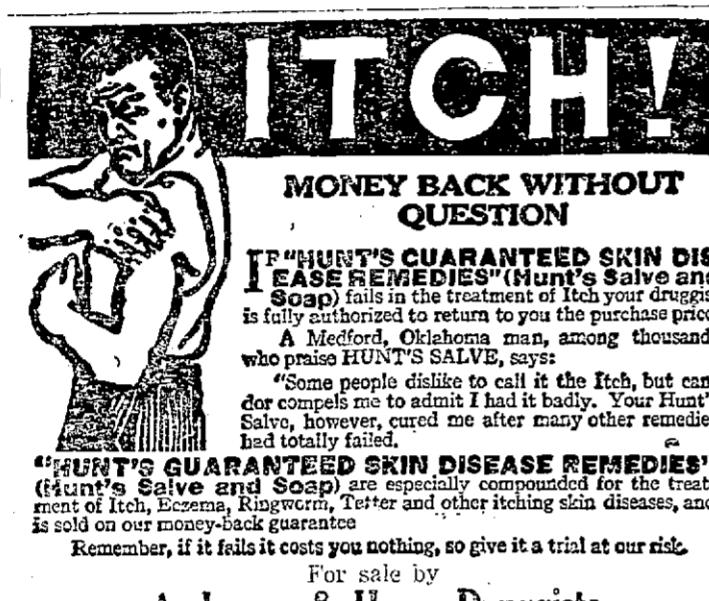
amazing thing could not have happened twice in the same convention.

So the balloting proceeded with the word passed from Butler's quarters that Hoover would go over "sure."

But, by this time, with the hour getting late, the need of rest getting very pronounced and the refusal of candidates to accept posts that already had objected to, the delegates were in ripe mood for a revolt against any more of Butler's candidates.

They rode through on Dawes, the pick of the big business delegations, who turned enough votes to him early in the balloting to get the semblance of a stampede started in the minds of the weary delegates.

The feeling of concern among some of the state chairmen at Butler's



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